FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: March 24, 1995

SUBJECT: **SB 1362 - HB 756**

This bill, if enacted, will delete from aggravating factors to first degree murder that the murder was committed against an elected official because of the official's status. Aggravating factors make a defendant eligible for the death penalty or life without parole. Under this bill the offender would receive life with possibility of parole.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be a decrease in state expenditures for incarceration; however, the amount is estimated to be not significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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